



Docket No.: 43890-433

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Ryuichi SAKAI : Confirmation Number: 2616
Application No.: 09/651,890 : Group Art Unit: 2712
Filed: August 30, 2000 : Examiner: Vent, Jamie J.

For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR RECORDING ELEMENTARY STREAMS :
Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.
 Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27
 Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	12	20	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	2	3	0	\$88.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
					\$0.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$0.00

Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$0.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

MCDERMOTT WILL & EMERY LLP

Michael E. Fogarty
Registration No. 36,139

600 13th Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20005-3096
202.756.8000 MEF:jrj
Facsimile: 202.756.8087
Date: October 28, 2004
WDC99 998388-1.043890.0433



2616
JFW

Docket No.: 43890-433

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Ryuichi SAKAI : Confirmation Number: 2.616
Application No.: 09/651,890 : Group Art Unit: 2712
Filed: August 30, 2000 : Examiner: VENT, JAMIE J.
For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR RECORDING ELEMENTARY STREAMS

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Non Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to Office Action dated September 27, 2004, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire December 27, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows: